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South-Carolina GAZETTE.

From Tuesday *February* 12th, to Tuesday *February* 19th, 1754.

Extract from the Votes of the General Assembly of the Colony of New-York.

Die Mercurij, 31ſt of *October*, 1753.

Extract of His Majeſty's Inſtructions directed to the late Sir D'Anvers Osborn, *Baronet, deceaſed, given at the Court at* Kenſington, *the 13th Day of* Auguſt, 1753.

Instruction XXXIX.

WHEREAS it has been repreſented to us, that great diſputes and animoſities have, for ſome time paſt, ſubſiſted among the ſeveral branches of the legiſlature of our province of *New-York*: That the peace and tranquility of the ſaid province has been diſturbed; order and government ſubverted; the courſe of juſtice obſtructed; and our royal prerogative and authority trampled upon, and invadid in a moſt unwarrantable and illegal manner. And whereas the aſſembly of our ſaid province, have not only refuſed to comply with the powers and directions which we have thought expedient to give, by our commiſſion and inſtructions, to our governor of the ſaid province, with reſpect to money raiſed for the ſupply and ſupport of government; but have alſo, in open violation of our ſaid commiſſion and inſtructions, aſſumed to themſelves, in the laws which they have annually or occaſionally paſſed, the diſpoſal of public money; the nomination of all officers of government; the direction of the militia, and of ſuch other troops as have been raiſed for our ſervice; and many other executive parts of government; which, by our ſaid commiſſion and inſtructions, we have thought proper to reſerve, by law, belong to our governor only. And whereas it likewiſe appears, that ſome unwarrantable meaſures. We, therefore, being extremely ſenſible, how much all ſuch animoſities and diviſions, amongſt the different branches of the legiſlature, and the unwarrantable proceedings which have attended the ſame, muſt affect, and prove deſtructive of the peace and ſecurity of our ſaid province; leſſen and impair that due authority which, by right, belong to us, in the government thereof; and thereby alienate the hearts and affections of our loving ſubjects; and being determined, at the ſame time that we do protect our loving ſubjects, in the lawful enjoyment of their rights and privileges, not to permit our own authority and prerogative to be in any degree violated, or unduly leſſened, by any encroachments whatever: *It is our expreſs Will and Pleaſure*, and you are hereby ſtrictly enjoined and required, forthwith, upon your arrival, to uſe your beſt endeavours, in the moſt prudent manner, to quiet the minds of our loving ſubjects, and reconcile the unhappy differences ſubſiſting amongſt 'em; and having called the council and aſſembly of our ſaid province together, you are to ſignify to them, in the ſtrongeſt and moſt ſolemn manner, our high diſpleaſure for their neglect of, and the contempt they have ſhewn to, our royal commiſſion and inſtructions, by paſſing laws of ſo extraordinary a nature, and by ſuch their unwarrantable proceedings: And that we do ſtrictly charge and enjoin them for the future, to pay our ſaid commiſſion and inſtructions, due obedience; receding from all unjuſtifiable encroachments upon our legal authority and prerogative, and demeaning themſelves in their reſpective ſtations, with a due regard thereto, and to the peace, ſecurity, and proſperity of the province. And whereas nothing can more effectually tend to re-eſtabliſh good order and government within our ſaid province, and promote its future peace and proſperity, than the having a permanent revenue ſettled by law upon a ſolid foundation, for defraying the neceſſary charges of government; for want of which, great inconvenience and prejudice have hitherto ariſen to our ſervice, and to the affairs of our ſaid province: *It is therefore our further Will and Pleaſure*, that you do, in the ſtrongeſt manner, recommend to the aſſembly, in our name, without delay, to conſider of a proper law to be paſſed for this purpoſe, taking care that ſuch law ſhall be indefinite and without limitation; and that proviſion be made therein, for the ſalary allowed by us, to our captain general and governor in chief of our ſaid province: And likewiſe, for competent ſalaries to all judges, juſtices, and other neceſſary officers, and miniſters of government; and for repairing the fortifications, and erecting ſuch new ones, as the ſecurity and ſafety of the province may require; for making annual preſents to the Indians, and for the expence attending the ſame: And in general, for all ſuch other charges of government, as may be fixed or aſcertained. *It is, nevertheleſs, our Will and Pleaſure*, and you are hereby impowered, after the paſſing of ſuch law, as aforeſaid, to give your aſſent to any tempory law or laws, for defraying the expences of temporary ſervices: *Provided always*, that the ſaid law or laws do expire, and have their full effect, when the ſervices for which ſaid law or laws were paſſed, ſhall ceaſe and be determined; and that they be conſiſtent with our royal prerogative, and our commiſſion and inſtructions to you. *And it is our further Will and Pleaſure*, that all money raiſed for the ſupply and ſupport of government, or upon emergencies for a temporary ſervice, as aforeſaid; ſhall be diſpoſed of, and applied to the ſervice only for which it was raiſed; by warrant from you, by and with the advice and conſent of the council of our ſaid province, and no other. But the aſſembly may nevertheleſs, be permitted, from time to time, to view and examine the [illegible] of, and of our council, or any officer holding or enjoying any place of truſt or profit, within our ſaid government, ſhall, in any manner whatever, give his or their aſſent to, or in any wiſe, adviſe and concur with the aſſembly, in paſſing any act or vote whereby our royal prerogative may be leſſened or impaired; or whereby any money ſhall be raiſed or diſpoſed of for the public ſervice, contrary to, or inconſiſtent with the method preſcribed by theſe our inſtructions to you; you ſhall forthwith remove or ſuſpend ſuch councillor, or other officer ſo offending; giving to our commiſſioners for trade and plantations, an immediate account thereof, in order to be laid before us.

Instruction XLVII.

WHEREAS ſeveral inconveniences have ariſen to our governments in the plantations, by gifts and preſents made to our governors by the general aſſemblies: For prevention whereof for the future, *It is our expreſs Will and Pleaſure*, that neither you our governor, commander in chief, or preſident of the council of our ſaid province of *New-York*, for the time being, do give your, or their conſent, to the paſſing any law or act, for any gift or preſent to be made to you, or them, by the aſſembly: And that neither you nor they, do receive any gift or preſent from the aſſembly or others, on any account, or in any manner whatſoever, upon pain of our higheſt diſpleaſure, and of being recalled from that our government.

Instruction XLVIII.

OUR will and pleaſure is, that you take to yourſelf, as captain general and governor in chief, in and over our ſaid province, the ſum of *Twelve Hundred Pounds Sterling per Annum*, out of our revenue ariſing within our ſaid province.

Instruction XLIX.

AND whereas it has been repreſented to us, that *Twelve Hundred Pounds Sterling per Annum*, is not, at preſent, ſufficient for the ſupport of our governor, and the dignity of that our government: We are graciouſly pleaſed, to permit and allow, that the aſſembly of our ſaid province of *New-York*, may, by any act or acts, ſettle upon you, ſuch ſum or ſums in addition to your ſalary, as they ſhall think proper: And you are hereby allowed to give your aſſent to any act or acts of aſſembly for the ſaid purpoſes; notwithſtanding any clauſe or clauſes contained in the 47th article of theſe inſtructions; provided that ſuch ſum or ſums be ſettled on you, and your ſucceſſors in that government; or at leaſt on you, during the whole time of your government there; and provided the ſame be done by the firſt aſſembly, and within a year after your arrival in that province.

Instruction L.

AND we do further direct and require, that this declaration of our royal will and pleaſure, in the three foregoing articles, be communicated to the aſſembly at their firſt meeting after your arrival in our ſaid province, and entered in the regiſters of our council and aſſembly, that all perſons whom it may concern, may govern themſelves accordingly.

The preceeding are true copies of their reſpective originals, examined this 29th of *October*, 1753, by Gw. Banyar, *D.C.Con.*

Die Martis, 6th of November, 1753.

To the Honorable James De Lancey, *Eſq; his Majeſty's Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief in and over the Colony of* New-York, *and Territories depending thereon in* America.

[illegible] thanks for your ſpeech.

The amiable character of that worthy gentleman, Sir D'Anvers Osborn, Baronet, gave us a moſt pleaſing proſpect of being a happy people under his adminiſtration. The joyful acclamations of the people on his arrival, and that univerſal ſorrow which overwhelmed every heart, and appeared in every countenance on his ſudden death, are inconteſtible proofs that every individual look'd on that melancholly incident, as a great and public loſs.

Permit us, *Sir*, to tell you, that nothing could ſo ſenſibly alleviate our ſorrow on this much lamented event, as to find the adminiſtration of government devolved on your honour; whoſe faithful ſervices in every public ſtation, wherewith his moſt gracious majeſty has been pleaſed to honour you, have juſtly entitled you to the eſteem and confidence of the people of this province: We congratulate you on your acceſſion to this eminent ſtation; and from your known abilities, and juſt principles, promiſe ourſelves all the happineſs that a loyal people can enjoy under an upright adminiſtration.

On reading the 39th article of his majeſty's inſtructions to Sir *D'Anvers Osborn*, your honour's immediate predeceſſor, we are extremely ſurprized to find, that the public tranſactions of this colony, have been ſo maliciouſly miſrepreſented to our moſt gracious ſovereign. We can, *Sir*, with truth and juſtice affirm, that his majeſty has not in his dominions, a people more firmly, and that from principles of real affection, devoted to his perſon, family and government, than the inhabitants of this colony. And we are greatly at a loſs to diſcover, in what inſtances the peace and tranquility of the colony have been diſturbed, or wherein order and government have been ſubverted. If the courſe of juſtice has been obſtructed, or in any caſe perverted, it has been by the directions, or thro' the means of Mr. Clinton, late governor of this province, who ſent peremptory orders to the judges, clerk and ſheriff of Dutcheſs county,

county, to stay proceedings in several cases of private property depending in that court; and who did, in other counties, commissionate judges and justices of known ill characters and extreme ignorance; one stood even prosecuted for perjury in the supreme court of this province, whom he rewarded with the office of assistant judge; and others were so shamefully ignorant and illiterate, as to be unable to write their own names. From whence we greatly fear, that justice has, in many cases, been partially, or very unduly, administred.

We have been so far from assuming the direction of the militia, that we have declined intermeddling therewith. And we assure your honour, we have not the least thought, or most distant inclination, to invade, lessen, or diminish, any of his majesty's just and rightful prerogatives: But must acknowledge, that we ever have, and still do think it our indispensable duty, to assert and maintain the just privileges of the people, whenever they are attempted to be infringed under the pretence of prerogative.

The present method of raising and issuing public money, has been pursued for the space of sixteen years past; during all which time, the salaries of all the officers of the government, and other contingent services, have been much better provided for, and more punctually paid, than before that period, when deficiencies and misapplications, were perpetual causes of dispute between the former governors of this colony, and their general assemblies; whereby his majesty's service, and the safety and prosperity of this colony, were greatly obstructed. When this is duly considered, we hope your honour will be advised to give your assent to bills formed according to our usual course of proceedings.

The several other matters recommended in your honour's speech, shall, in the course of our proceedings, be considered with due attention.

We beg leave to assure your honour, that nothing shall be wanting on our parts, consistent with the trust reposed in us, to promote his majesty's service, and to render your administration easy and happy over us.

By Order of the General Assembly,
DAVID JONES, *Speaker.*

The *HUMOURIST.* No. VIII.

Tradita sortes sunt hoc violare hominem; convitium afferre. TULL.

MAN (they say) is a sociable Animal; which is a Character equally applicable to a Beast, if we understand nothing more by the Expression, than an Association together for our common Security: It requires no great Penetration to observe Numbers of this brutish Inclination, who seem to have an Intercourse with their own Species, unadorned with the least Spark of social Virtue.

If there are (and no one will dispute it) any Degrees of Subordination in Characters, superior to those created by human Foresight, for Order and Distinction, it is Benevolence, mutual Aid, Friendship, and Charity, and these alone form the noblest Picture of true Greatness.

I have heard (with Tears I speak it) *Humanity* called *Weakness*, and *Generosity* pass by the reproachful Terms of *Extravagance* and *Folly*. Very few consider the Causes of Distress; we are apt to affix a Reason, that, instead of pleading in our Favour, calls upon us for Contempt; we seldom distinguish between Calamities produced by Misconduct, the Oppressions of others, or the inevitable Strokes of Fate.

These are the unsocial Brutes, who whisper away their Neighbour's Reputation, and declare open War against all the Proprietors of Merit: There is a malignant Spirit that reigns thro' the World, and imbibes the basest Principles, that teaches us to wish well to none, by which Means we say Ill of all: The conscious Mind, reflecting on its Iniquity, concludes all Minds alike!

The least Glimmering of a Fault, collects innumerable Spectators, to multiply the dormant Evil, and enlarge upon the Nature of it, at the Expence of blushing Innocence.

This is an Observation as familiar to us as the most common Occurrences of Life, we are prone to decry Reputations, we have Discernment to pursue the most effectual Methods, and few possess so small a Share of Self-Love, as to be ignorant, that, by unfavourable Comparisons upon a Friend, they raise their own Characters to a temporary Pitch of Glory.

What Man will, at least what Man does, deny that there is Melody in Defamation; there is Music in the Word, and it is certainly a Note as much practised as admired.

There is an Art in sullying a Man's Reputation, without incurring Displeasure one's self; and I have frequently remarked, that a Shrug or a Sneer carries more Expression along with it, than the most forcible Language: I had Occasion some Years ago, to employ a Gentleman in an Affair of some Importance, and, as he seem'd diffident of his own Judgment and Experience, I chearfully proposed an Assistant to him; Mr. *Busy-body* made me no Answer, but shrug'd up his Shoulders, contracted the Muscles of his Face, sneering, and then with a Crowd of Words approved my Proposal, had no Objections to it, enlarged pretty minutely upon the Necessity of a Man of Parts in a Transaction environed with a Sea of Trouble like that, and ended his Speech with a Look of Reference to his Shrug and Sneer, which made so strong an Impression upon me, that I absolutely pitched upon another Person, contrary to my own Inclination and particular Bias for that Gentleman.

Another Set of Detractors there are, who, by a seeming Softness of Words, can probe a Reputation. *Plutarch* gives an apt Instance of this upon *Aristides*'s Banishment, whom when a mean Person had proposed to another, being ask'd what Displeasure *Aristides* had done him, he replied, *none, neither do I know him; but it grieves me to hear every Body call him a just Man.*

There are a Kind of Detractors, tho' last mentioned, not least in the Cause of Evil, who being mean and sordid, will condescend to collect a Catalogue of Stories, to humour a Patron and tickle a Friend. Such Men as these, do almost come up to a literal Sense of what the *Psalmist* spoke in a figurative, *(and eat up People for Bread;)* dissect Characters, and devour good Names, for the monstrous Entertainment of a servile Master.

How shocking is it, to think, that such unwarrantable Favour should be shewn these People, who make no Allowances for Actions which frequently arise from sudden Passions, or are the unhappy Attendants of some Constitutions, or are the Errors of a hasty Judgment, and not [illegible] form'd into Crimes, and charged as the blackest Offences, when Good-Nature and good Sense must certainly have overlook'd them.

How melancholly a Reflection it is, that *Speech*, which was given us to soften the Cares of Life, and for our mutual Assistance, should be converted to so bad a Purpose, as the sullying the Fame of our Fellow-Creatures; and by the Success of Artifice, raising the Admiration of Mankind on the one Hand, and a dreadful Persecution on the other.

CHARLES-TOWN, February 19.

The Depositions of William Lewis, Allan Stuart, *and* Henry Bull, *lately belonging to a certain Sloop called the* Elizabeth, *of which Capt.* David Cutler Braddock *(then a Pilot on board his Majesty's Ship* Shoreham*) was Owner; who, being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God, depose and say,*

THAT on Tuesday the 15th Day of *January* 1754, they anchored, in a Sloop called the *Elizabeth*, *William Mackay* Master, which then attended on His Majesty's Ship *Shoreham*, at *Turk's-Island*, as the appointed Place of Rendezvous, having parted Company with the Ship, a few Days before in a hard Gale of Wind. That on Wednesday the 16th of said Month, a large *Spanish* Sloop of 8 Carriage and some Swivel Guns, with about 20 Men, came in there, and, without any Reason or Provocation, run under the Stern of the said *Elizabeth* Sloop, fired several Shot at her, and called to the People to send their Boat on board immediately; which they accordingly did, with a Mate that belonged to the *Shoreham*, and two of the Sloop's Men, whom the *Spaniards* detained. That some of the *Spaniards* then came on board the *Elizabeth*, and took Possession of her; immediately after which they plundered all the Men (15 in Number) of all their Money, Cloaths and other Necessaries, stripping them naked, and used them extremely ill in other Respects. That the same Afternoon *(January* 16th*)* the *Spaniards* put 6 of the *Elizabeth*'s People into their Boat, (three of which were the Deponents) in order to land them on *Turk's Island* but when they came near the Surge on the Shore, they obliged them all to jump over-board and swim to the Beach, where they left them without either Victuals or Drink.

The Deponents further say, that the other 9 Men belonging to the *Elizabeth* (among which was the Mate of the Men of War) were confined in the Hold, and carried away; for, as the *Spaniard* expected the Man of War to arrive, every Moment, he sail'd from *Turk's Island*, on Wednesday the 17th of *January*, at two o'Clock in the Morning, with the *Elizabeth* Sloop. That on the 18th, in the Afternoon, the *Shoreham* and *Jamaica* Men of War, arrived there, by whom the Deponents were taken on board. That they do believe, as it blew very hard the Day after the *Spaniards* sail'd, they would put into *Cape-François*, or some other of the Ports to Leward of *Hispaniola*; but that they were told, the *Spanish* Sloop belonged to *St. Domingo*, and was commanded by one *Don Juan Casado*. And further these Deponents say not.

WILLIAM LEWIS.
ALLAN STUART.
HENRY BULL.

Examined and sworn before me on board His Majesty's Ship Shoreham, *this 20th of* Jan. 1754.
JULIAN LEGGE.

After taking the foregoing Depositions, Capt. *Legge* went to *Cape-François*, supposing the *Spaniards* might have gone in there, but not meeting with them in that Port, he sent Expresses to *St. Domingo* on the Occasion.

The Generous Friends, Stevenson, from London, is arrived at *Georgia*; where there were 17 Sail of Sea Vessels last Week.

There are now but 38 Vessels in this Port, *viz.* 15 Ships, 11 Snows, 1 Brigantine, (of which about 15 are loaded) 2 Schooners, and 9 Sloops. And all the Store-houses in Town are full of Rice.

The Friendship, *Capt.* Coats, *is just arrived from* London; *by whom we have the following foreign Advices, viz.*

London, Nov. 27. By a private letter from Holland we learn, that M. de Quadra, his Catholic majesty's minister at the Hague, has made fresh complaints to the States General, of the conduct of the Dutch at Curracoa, who have taken several Spanish ships, and carried them to that island. Among other things he says, 'that the patience of his Catholic majesty was now at an end, and that if they did not give immediate satisfaction, in restoring the said vessels, their High Mightinesses would have themselves to blame, if his majesty should be obliged to stop all the Dutch vessels now in his harbours, &c.

London, Nov. 28. We hear from Modena, that count Monzone, whose unexpected arrival from Paris has occasioned so many conjectures, set out the 7th instant on his return to the French court, and is charged to give his most Christian majesty's ministers the eclaircissements they have desired, in regard to the consequences of the duke of Modena's engagements with the Imperial court.

According to the report of some Dunkirk traders arrived in the river last week, the French still go on with the new works at that town; and talk of nothing but entrenchments in Flanders early next spring.

London, Dec. 5. By letters from Vienna, Ratisbon, and other places in the empire, it appears, that a league is formed in opposition to the alliance of the North; yet it still remains doubtful whether the former will be a match for the latter. That league is known to consist of France, Sweden, and Prussia; but a fourth power is talked of, though not particularly mentioned: Therefore some people suppose this power may be the Ottoman Porte, in which case the Northern alliance may be counterballanced effectually: But if it is Spain, as others affect to believe, the two empresses and their allies need not be much alarmed, as the scales will then hang pretty even; and as several of the European powers are deeply in debt, a new war may, in the words of a certain author, be compared to a *cudgel match in a china shop.*

Extract of a Letter from Berlin, Nov. 24.

'The king has charged his ministers at Vienna and Ratisbon (notwithstanding the refeript lately sent to the Austrian ministry at the dyet) to bestir themselves in the most effectual manner, in order to procure a redress of the grievances complained of by the protestants in the Empress's hereditary countries, or at least to obtain permission for them to remove out of those countries. There is much talk here of an alliance ready to come to light between some powers, in order to counterballance the Northern league. It is certain that the plan of this new alliance has been formed since the month of September last; that the courts concerned are actually fixing the conditions of it; that three of them are already agreed about the reciprocal obligations and the nature of the succours they are to furnish to one another; and that little else but the resolution of a fourth power is waited for, in order to put the finishing hand to the treaty.'

Madrid, Nov. 6. It is remour'd that our court is strongly sollicited to become a principal contracting party in the league that has been formed to counterballance the alliance of the North.

MARINE LIST.

Sailed since our last. February 13*th.* The 2 Friends, Burges, for London. 14*th.* The Charming Martha, Chilcote, for London; and the Prosperity, Wolvet, for Providence. 15*th.* The Harriot, Burland, for Providence. 16*th.* The Leopard, Reed, for Cowes. 17*th.* The Elizabeth, Haysham, for *Lisbon*. This. The Elizabeth & Peggy, Scott, for Cowes.

Wind bound. The Oldberry, Brown; the Industry, Cowen; the Nancy, Cowrin; the Neptune, Jackson; the Elizabeth, Gadsey; the Confidence, Andrew; the

Unity,

Union, Trost; the Rosemary, Bowen; and the Elizabeth, Peniston.

Now ready to sail. The Nancy, Copithorn; the Elizabeth, Hunt; the Nancy, Heathorn; the Ceres, Bolman; the Lucallee, Richardson; the Rose, Williamson; and the Brissanio, Hendling.

VESSELS *entered inwards at* CHARLES-TOWN, *since our laſt.*

Ship Martha, Abraham Pearſe, from *St. Andrew.*
Snow Dorcheſter, James Hornbey, from Boſton.
Schooner Fortune, Nathaniel Ball, from Cape Fear.
Sloop Deſire, Nicholas Lobdell, from Boſton.
—— Mary, Francis Dickinſon, from Antigua.
—— Fancy, Ruderman Robeſon, from Port Royal.
—— Succeſs, Theophilus Topham, from Rhode-Iſla.

Entered Outwards.

Ship Polly, William Sharad, and
—— Fancy, Samuel Tufts, for London.
—— Martha, Abraham Pearſe, and
Snow Hope, Richard Pick, for *Liſbon.*

Cleared for Departure.

Ship Nancy, Thomas Courtis, to Poole.
—— Oldbury, Henry Brown, to *Liſbon.*
—— Induſtry, Andrew Cowan, to Cowes.
Snow Elizabeth, Giles Heyſham, to *Liſbon.*
—— Union, Joſeph Trost,
—— Elizabeth, John Gafney, and
—— Conſtantia, Joſ. Andrew, to London.
—— Neptune, Thomas Jackſon, and
—— Leopard, John Reed, to Cowes.
Sloop Rosemary, Daniel Bocast, to Rhode Iſland.
—— Harriot, Wm. Borland, to Providence.
Schooner Fortune, Nath. Ball, to Cape Fear.

IMPORTED at *Charles-Town,*

ſince *Nov.* 1, 1753, *of the following Goods.*

Rum, 901 Hhds.	Bread, 106 Tierces.
25 Tierces.	169 Barrels.
54 Barrels.	36 Bags.
Muſc. Sugar, 82 Hhds.	178 Kegs.
3 Tierces.	Flour, 1,073 Barrels.
135 Barrels.	42 Kegs.
3 Boxes.	*American* Beer, 236 Bar.
Melaſſes, 7 Hhds.	—— Cyder, 269 Barrels.
Madera Wine, 84 Pipes.	Salt, 9,308 Buſhels.
2 half Pipes.	Negroes, 128.
14 Barrels.	*Vidonia* Wine

EXPORTED from *Charleſtown,*

Since *Nov.* 1, 1754. *Of the Country Produce.*

Rice, 41,633 Barrels.	Corn, 28,744 Buſhels.
1,400 half ditto.	Peaſe, 4,654 Buſhels.
Pitch, 1,640 Barrels.	Beef, 124 Barrels.
Tar, 393 Barrels.	Pork, 302 Barrels.
Turpentine, 557 Bar.	Scantling, Plank and
Deer-ſkins, 142 Hhds.	Boards, 164,473 Feet.
Indico, 33,008 *lb.*	Shingles, 156,600.
Leather, 1859 Sides.	Staves, 10,200.

Of the Rice, 9,894 *whole, and* 801 *half Barrels, have been ſhipp'd to the Southward of* Cape-Finiſterre.

Charles-Town, Febr. 1, 1754.

Mr. *Timothy*,

I HAVE enquired the Price of good merchantable *FLOUR*, and find it to be at £. 4 *to* 5 *l. per Cent.* The *Half-Crown* Loaves to weigh 2 *lb.* 6 *oz.* I am, *&c.*

JOHN DART, *Commiſſary-General.*

ADVERTISEMENTS.

LATELY IMPORTED, and to be ſold by the Subſcribers, at the moſt eaſy Rates, window glaſs (of a very fine ſort) both in ſquares and ſhorts, glaſs bottles, nails and ſhot of all ſorts, bullets, gun-powder, fowling and trading guns, and rifle barrels of an extraordinary ſort, *Irish* ſhirting and ſheeting linnen, ſail cloth, white ſuſtians and dimities, patterns of *Engliſh* chints, worſted damaſks, poſt paper, fine lyrics, green, and bohea tea. *Port* wine and red ſtreak cyder, baſt mat and ſhip bread, *Barbados* and *St. Kitts* rum, muſcovado ſugar, cocoa, cream water, cut and dried tobacco, long and ſhort pipes, *Briſtol* paving ſtones, with a few HEALTHY ABLE NEW NEGROMEN. *AUSTIN & LAURENS.*

THE Subſcribers, attornies to Mr. *Thomas Middleton*, once more deſire the favour of all perſons indebted to *Cattell, Middleton, & company* or *Cattell & Middleton*, to diſcharge their reſpective debts immediately; there being no abſolute neceſſity of bringing their affairs to a final ſettlement.

William Middleton,
Henry Middleton, Samuel Bradford.

THOMAS MELLICHAMP, of *Charles-Town*, Chair-maker, intending to remove to *Spring-Field*, (about two Miles from *Abbey-Ferry*, on the Road to *Dorch*) by the 10th of *March* next, gives Notice, that he purpoſes there to continue his Buſineſs; and will be obliged to his Friends for a Continuance of their Favours: At the ſame Time entreats all Perſons indebted to him, to pay by the Time he moves out of Town.

TO BE SOLD, on Tueſday the 26th inſtant, by *Thomas Smith* on the Bay in *Charles-Town*, *Twenty four* new *Gold-Coaſt* NEGROES, viz. 15 men, 6 women, a boy, and a girl, juſt imported in the ſhip *Molly* and *Sally*, from *Barbadoes*.

TO BE SOLD, a Lot of Land containing 54 feet in front on *Church ſtreet*, between Duff. *William Erifkine's*, and Mr. *Thomas Leger's*. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe, may treat with *Peter Leger*: Who has good *Madera*, *Vidonia*, and white *Liſbon* WINE, and *Weſt India* RUM, which he will ſell very reaſonable for cash, either by the quarter caſk, gallon, or ſmaller quantity. —— Several lodging-rooms to be let by the ſaid *PETER LEGER*, Cooper.

JUST IMPORTED by the Subſcriber, in the *Hope*, Capt. *Richard Pick*, a choice parcel of *MADERA* WINE, to be ſold at a reaſonable rate, by CHARLES MAYNE.

THERE is a Road of 22 Feet in width, laid out thro' the plantation that formerly belonged to Mr. *William Smith* deceaſed, (upon *Charles-Town* neck) down to an iſland very pleaſantly ſituated upon *Abbey-River* containing about 24 acres of land: And as part of the ſaid plantation is now ſold, the remaining part, and the above mentioned iſland, will alſo be ſold, in any quantity of acres the purchaſer may chuſe, and at a very reaſonable price. Inquire of *Paul Douxſaint.*

ALL Perſons indebted to the eſtate of *Archibald Neile*, late of *James-Iſland* planter, deceaſed, are deſired to diſcharge the ſame; and thoſe to whom the ſaid eſtate is in any ways indebted, to bring in their accompts properly atteſted, to

Sarah Neile, Adminiſtratrix.
George Sheed, Adminiſtrator.

RUN AWAY from the ſubſcriber, on the 17th inſt *(Febr.)* a family of negroes, formerly belonging to Mr. *Robert Seaſe* of the *Congarees*, and are ſuppoſed to be gone that way, *viz.* a fellow about 35 years of age, named *Harry*, who, as he received a wound in his left leg a few days before he went away, not yet well, may probably walk lame; his wife, named *Clarinda*, with their ſon about *nine* years old, and a daughter about *ſix*. Whoever harbours or entertains them, may expect to be proſecuted with the utmoſt rigor: But whoever takes up and brings them to me or to the warden of the work houſe ſhall have TEN POUNDS reward.

WILLIAM LLOYD.

THE whole, or any part, of the land on *Charles-Town* neck, formerly advertiſed to be ſold by *Joſeph Blake*, Eſq; and a tract of land on *Abbey-River*, oppoſite to *Dorcheſter* Bay, belonging to *James Barrembie*, Eſq; to be ſold by DANIEL BLAKE.

ALL Perſons who have any demands on the eſtate of Mr. *Henry Perceneau*, ſen. late of *Charles-Town*, deceaſed, are deſired to ſend in their accompts properly atteſted, to

Benjamin D'Harriette,
Henry Perceneau, } Executors.

JOHN GORDON, of *Charleſtown*, Tavern-keeper, begs the Favour of all Perſons indebted to him, to pay their reſpective Accompts, *&c.* by the 25th Day of next Month (*March*), or at leaſt (which is in every one's Power) to ſettle the ſame to his Satisfaction. The great Expence he has been at, in making his Houſe convenient for all his Cuſtomers, with the Entertainment and Attendance there had, he hopes will make them ſenſible, that ſome Regard ſhould be ſhewn to this his Entreaty.

CHILDREN boarded, and carefully taught *FRENCH* and *ENGLISH*, Writing, and Arithmetick, at the Houſe in *Dorcheſter* which belonged formerly to Mr. *Denny* deceaſed, by SAMUEL TERRON.

A Single Man, with good Recommendations, and who underſtands the planting and making of Indigo, is wanted as an overſeer, by LUKE STOUTENBURGH.

Agreeable to a Reſolution and Order of the Houſe of Aſſembly of this Province, of the 30th of January, 1754.

JOHN DART, Commiſſary-General, has bought *Six* Buſhels of *Guatimala* INDICO SEED, to be diſtributed among ſuch of the back Settlers as are inclined to plant INDICO, by giving *One Pint* to each Family, in order to put them into SEED for the enſuing Year; and is now ready to diſtribute the ſame accordingly.

THE Subſcriber will board Children at a reaſonable Rate.

Jane Douxſaint.

THOMAS ROYBOULD Taylor, is removed into *Elliott ſtreet*, to the houſe wherein *Mr. Tew* lives; where the Buſineſs is carried on with the utmoſt diſpatch, by

TEW & ROYBOULD.

RUN away from Capt. *Alexander Kotter* at *Cape Fear*, a negro man of a middle ſtature, with a very large head, his face much pitted with the ſmall pox, and appears as if it was ſwelled, ſpeaks good *Eng liſh*, and is ſuſpected to have come to this province with an intent to ſhip himſelf as a ſailor for *London*. If any perſon will apprehend and bring the ſaid negro to *James Dewar* merchant in *Charles-Town*, he ſhall have TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS reward.

TO BE SOLD, at the uſual place in *Charles-Town*, on Thurſday the 28th inſtant, the SNOW *Industry*, now lying along ſide of the *Dutch* Ship, at the north end of the town. Her inventory may be ſeen at the ſubſcriber's. ALSO, *Two Thirds* of a ſtrong, well built, new SCHOONER, *Thomas Elms* maſter, which carries compleatly, under her deck, 100 of the largeſt ſized rice barrels; well fitted, with the beſt rigging and ſails the place can afford. And (if then arrived) *One Half* of the SCHOONER *Elizabeth* (formerly called the *Sugar Hook Schooner*) *John M'Gillivray* maſter; a ſtrong veſſel, and generally kept in good Order. The conditions will be publiſhed at the ſale: But if any perſon be inclined to purchaſe before that time, he may treat with

DAVID BROWN.

TO BE SOLD

AT vendue, at the uſual place in *Charles-Town*, a tract of land belonging to *John Middleton* deceaſed, containing 526 acres (which has been adverſtiſed in three ſeveral gazettes to be ſold on the 24th of *February*): But on leave in writing given, the ſaid ſale is put off to Friday the 22d inſtant (*February*).

Rowland Lowndes Provoſt Marſhal.

N. B. It's the plantation wherron Mr. *Edward Way* lives, and has planted for ſome years paſt.

TO BE SOLD at public Vendue, on the 7th day of *March* next, for 6 months credit, with approved ſecurity, at the ſubſcribe's houſe at *Santee-Ferry*, all the perſonal eſtate of *Joſeph Chamberlain* deceaſed, by *John Logan*, Adminiſtrator.

ALL Perſons any ways indebted to the eſtate of *Richard Waring*, Eſq; deceas'd, are deſired to diſcharge their reſpective debts by the 25th day of *March* 1754; and thoſe to whom the ſaid eſtate is indebted, to ſend in their accompts properly atteſted, to *Richard Waring,* } Execu-
Joſeph Waring, } tors.

TAKEN up near *Godfrey's* Savannah in *Colleton* county, a bay mare gelding, about 13 hands and an half high, branded on the off buttock EB, the top of the B not plain, goes a little lame in one hip, and has a large ſore on his off ſhoulder. The owner muſt apply to *Henry Peyre.*

SEVEN *Hundred Pounds*, to be let at Intereſt, on good perſonal Security. Inquire at the Printer.

TO BE SOLD

A LOT in *King ſtreet*, being 50 feet in front on ſaid ſtreet, and 200 feet in depth, with a good houſe thereon, and other conveniences, fit for one tenement.

Alſo 500 acres of land in *Colleton* county, on the weſtern branch of *Saltcatcher River*, adjoining *Lachicotte's* land: And alſo one other tract of land, containing 600 acres in the ſaid county, ſituate on the weſtern branch of ſaid river, *Combee*.

Theſe two tracts are near one another, and are accounted as good land as any in this province.

Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe both or either of the ſaid tracts, or lands and lot, may know their very reaſonable Inquire of *William Bradley.*

PRICE CURRENT, at CHARLES-TOWN.
Of the Country Produce.

Rice, *per Ct.* 40 *ſ.*	Tar, *per Barrel* 37 *ſ.* 6
Pitch, *no Demand*	Pork, 11 *l.*
Turpentine, *no Demand*	Beef, 6 *l.*
Peaſe, *per Buſh.* 14 *ſ.* 6	Corn, *per Buſh.* 10 *ſ.*
Indico, 22 *ſ.* 6 to 25	Peaſe, 12 *ſ.* 6

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15	27	Saturday	23d	8 24		8 48	on Bull's	8 36		3 12
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JOHN PAUL GRIMKE

HAS juſt imported from *London*, in the *Elizabeth*, Capt. *Horne*, and to be ſold at his houſe in *Broad-ſtreet*, as CHEAP as poſſibly can be afforded, the following ſterling plate for a tea table, viz.

Silver chaſed tea kettles, with ſtands and lamps; plain and chaſed ſugar diſhes and ſugar baſkets, milk pots with bodies; chaſed and plain coffee, tea, and milk pots; tea ſpoons, tongs and ſtrainers; ſets of tea ſpoons in ſhagreen caſes, plain and chaſed waiters of all ſizes, with ſundry other articles for a tea-table.

Silver chalices, or communion cups.—Clocks.—Two handled finger cups, punch bowls, tankards, pint and half pint mugs, pepper boxes, ſilver handle knives and forks in ſhagreen caſes, ſalt cellars with glaſſes and ſpoons, wood and ſilver ſtands with fine cut glaſs and ſilver cellars, ſauce boats; ſoop, table, and deſert ſpoons; marrow ſcoops and ſpoons, punch ſtrainers and ladles.

Chaſed cricks and ſnuffers.—Fine leather-mounted fuzis at 3 *l.*—Children's ſauce pans, pap ſpoons and boats, coral, coral and anodyne necklaces.—Smelling bottles.

Spurs, ſwords, hangers, and canes; ſword belt locks, and enchaſed breeches buckles; ſhoe, knee, and ſtock buckles, and claſps.—Watches, tooth-pick and tweezer caſes, ſnuff boxes with pictures inſide; black and green ſhagreen caſes for watches, ſilver locks for pocket books; ſcales and weights, and ſingle weights for doubloons and piſtoles; common and temple ſpectacles; thimbles with and without ſteel tops; ſtay hooks, ſciſſars and watch chains, chains with hooks and pin cuſhion rings; watch chryſtals, keys and ſeals; ſteel watch chains, ſilk purſes and watch ſtrings.

Gold jointed ear-wires, garnet and amethyſt ear-rings ſet with diamonds, common ſtone ear-rings ſet ſtrong in gold, at 8 *l.* diamond rings, common ſtone rings at 20 *s.* ſtone buttons at 20 *s.* ladies fine ſtone breaſt buckles at 4 *l.* necklaces, breaſt knots and roſes.

Oil flowers, melting and blue pots, files, binding wire, chaſes and tongues, ſcratch and hair bruſhes; with a great number of other uſeful articles, which would take up too much of this paper to particularize.

FRANCIS BREMAR

HAving entered into Partnerſhip, is now cloſing his Books and all Accompts that are in his Name at or. Intending, *God willing*, to go for *England* early the enſuing Spring; therefore begs the Favour of all Perſons any ways indebted to him, to diſcharge the ſame: Thoſe to whom he is indebted, are deſired to bring in their Demands, and they ſhall be paid. He alſo recommends his Friends to beſtow their future Favours on

BREMAR & NEYLE.

N. B. Rice and Indigo will be taken in Payment for Rice.

All Debts due to the Eſtate of ELIZABETH BENISON, deceaſed, muſt be paid by the firſt of March next, or they muſt be put in Suit.

WE deſire the Favour of all Perſons indebted to us, to pay their reſpective debts on or before the firſt of *April* next: And as our co-partnerſhip terminates the laſt day of this month, it is hoped due regard will be had to this notice. *Feb.* 18 1754. LINING & CHALMERS.

JANE GEOFROY having eloped from her huſband, he forbids any perſon's entertaining her, paying her any money, or giving her any credit in his name, from the date of this paper, at their peril.

TO BE SOLD at public Sale, at the ſubſcriber's houſe on the *Indian Lands*, on Tueſday the 5th of *March* next, for ready money, all the perſonal eſtate of *Thomas Cundall* deceaſed, conſiſting of a choice parcel of NEGROES, houſhold goods, a ſmall ſtock of cattle, ſome horſes, ſheep, hogs, &c. by *Joſeph Scaly*, Executor.

GOOD *HAY* to be ſold by *Mary Frith*. Who loſt two ſilver tea-ſpoons on the 15th of *January*, mark'd WB. S, which ſhe deſires may be done if offered for ſale.

TO BE SOLD, on Thurſday the 7th of *March* next, at the *New Exchange* in *Charles Town*, to the beſt bidder, at public auction, a tract of land containing about 600 acres, bounding on *Wappoo* creek, about 3 miles from *Charles-Town*, formerly the eſtate of Col. *Lucas* deceaſed, and now belonging to *Charles Alexander*, Eſqr of *Antigua*: The ſituation of this land ſo near *Charles-Town*, affording excellent paſture for a grazier, good clay for a brick maker, and there being oyſter ſhells at hand for a lime burner, with in good will for corn or indigo and ſome patches fit for rice, and having a good quantity of wood for firing and fencing, muſt make it a cheap bargain to one, two, or more, induſtrious perſons, who may be diſpoſed to purchaſe it. ——— The terms of the ſale, will be 6 *l.* much per acre, according to ſurvey; and credit will be given 'till the 1ſt of *February* next, the purchaſer paying intereſt, and giving ſuch ſecurity as will be approved of by the owner's attorney. *Andrew Rutledge.*

AN Overſeer, well recommended, (without wife or child) is wanted, and may meet with good encouragement, by enquiring of the Printer.

GLEN & COOPER, have imported in the *Alexander*, Capt. *Curling*, and in other Veſſels from *London*, and *Briſtol*, and to be ſold at their Stores in *Elliott-ſtreet*, a very large ASSORTMENT of EVERY KIND of GOODS *either uſeful or neceſſary both for Town and Country*: Which *Aſſortment* they intend to keep up, ſo as to be *conſtantly provided* with every Thing their Cuſtomers may want throughout the Year.

They have always choice *old* JAMAICA, BARBADOS, ANTIGUA and NEW-YORK RUM, WINES, SUGARS, BREAD, FLOUR, SALT, IRON, *&c.*

They *continue to ſell the* COUNTRY PRODUCE *on Commiſſions, and for their Cuſtomers Ends of Commiſſions; likewiſe inſure all from bad Debts.*

ON Monday the 25th of *February* 1754, will be ſold at public ſale, by the ſubſcriber at his plantation in *Goofe Creek*, the ſaid plantation, containing about 1800 acres of land, moſt of which is very good for corn or indico, and there is about 150 acres of good rice land, under proper dams, and between 4 and 500 acres fenced in, ſo that the purchaſer may plant, the enſuing year, what rice, corn or indico he thinks proper; the other many and great improvements on this plantation, are too well known to need any particular diſcription. The purchaſer may have from one to ſeven years credit if required, giving good ſecurity, and paying an eaſy intereſt from the day of ſale. ——— Will be SOLD at the ſame time, all his houſhold furniture, ſilver plate, china ware, and collection of books, being between 2 and 300 volumes: Alſo a ſtock of cattle, horſes, ſheep, and hogs. All ſums under 50 *l.* to be paid down, and all above to be paid by the 10th of *March*. And he further gives notice, that he has ſeveral valuable ſlaves to hire out by the year. And as the ſubſcriber intends to embark for *Great-Britain* ſome time in *March* next, he deſires all perſons indebted to him, to diſcharge the ſame by the 10th of the ſaid month; and thoſe to whom he is indebted, to bring in their accompts immediately, that they may be paid, by

WILLIAM MIDDLETON.

N. B. The furniture, *&c.* will be ſold at private ſale, any time between this and the day of public ſale.

For *LONDON* directly,

The Snow UNION,

JOSEPH TROUT Maſter,

Will ſail with all poſſible Expedition.

FOR freight or paſſage, treat with ſaid maſter or *John McCall.*

ALL Perſons indebted to *John Parnham* and to *Hurſt & Parnham*, are deſired to pay the ſame before the firſt of *March* next, or they will certainly be ſued by the ſaid *John Parnham.*

Who has a variety of goods ſuitable to the ſeaſon; among them printed cottons, which he will ſell at *eight* for *one*.

A SCALE-HOUSE Beam, Scales and Weights, compleat; a Smith's Bellows, bar Steel, bar and ſplit Iron, mahogany and walnut Chairs, mahogany Tables, a good 10-inch Cable, two good 6-inch Hawſers each 60 Fathom, with a good mahogany 8-Day Clock, to be ſold cheap, at my Store on the Bay lately poſſeſſed by Mr. *John Crokatt*. WILLIAM LLOYD.

I have imported, in the late Veſſels from *London*, *Briſtol*, and *Liverpool*, GOODS proper for the preſent and enſuing Seaſon, which I am determined to ſell as cheap as poſſible, with RUM and muſcovado SUGAR.

WILLIAM LLOYD.

RUN AWAY from the ſubſcriber's plantation at *Pompion*, on the 22d inſtant, a likely and very black young negro fellow named *Wiltſhire*, a cooper by trade, and well known at *Pompion* and *Stono*; ſuppoſed to be enticed away by his brother *Joe*, belonging to Mr. *Charles Wright*, at *Jack* ſavannah near *Baron* bridge. Whoever takes up and delivers him to Meſſrs. *Benj. Stead* and *George Austin* merchants in *Charles-Town*, or to Mr. *William Smith* at *Pompion*, ſhall have 10 *l.* reward and any reaſonable charge, paid by either of them.

WILLIAM BUTLER.

IMPORTED in moſt of the laſt veſſels from ſeveral parts of *Great-Britain*, and to be ſold upon the loweſt terms, by the ſubſcriber, a good aſſortment of *European* and *India* goods, proper for each ſeaſon of the year. Alſo, a freſh collection of FAMILY MEDICINES, as good as the beſt, and much better than moſt imported, with Doct. *James's* celebrated fever powder. Likewiſe good *Glouceſter* and *Cheſhire* cheeſe, and butter in kegs.

THOMAS CORKER.

ALL Perſons any ways indebted to the eſtate of Doct. *Frederick Holzendorf*, are deſired to diſcharge their reſpective debts by the 25th inſtant; and thoſe to whom the ſaid eſtate is indebted, to ſend in their accompts properly atteſted, to

Rebeca Holzendorf, Executrix.

ON Saturday the 22d of *February* 1754, WILL BE SOLD at the late deceaſed's houſe in *Dorcheſter*, all the drugs, medicines, books and inſtruments, with ſundry other articles, belonging to the ſaid eſtate.

AT the Anniverſary Meeting of the *Charles-Town* Library Society, on Wedneſday the 9th of *January* 1754.

AGREED and order'd, that all and every of the members of this ſociety, who have neglected to pay their weekly quota's, for the ſpace of three months paſt, and ſhall ſo continue until the ſecond Wedneſday in *July* next, be and they ſhall be thenceforward utterly debarr'd and excluded from being a member of the ſociety, and of any right or privilege in the books or other things belonging to the ſociety; members not in the province excepted, agreeable to the 10th rule: And the librarian hath in charge, not to ſuffer any ſuch defaulter to have any book out of the library, and that this order and reſolution be printed in the next *Gazette*. *By Order of the Society*

John Rivington, Secretary.

A Plantation at *Beach-Hill*, containing 172 acres of corn and rice land chiefly, under good fence, and with a convenient for reſerving back water; whereon a dwelling houſe, kitchen, barn, and other out houſes. TO BE SOLD. Treat with the ſubſcriber on the ſaid plantation. WILLIAM BAKER.

RUN away, a ſhort, black negro wench named *Kate*, belonging to the ſubſcriber, and well known in *Charles Town*, at *Alhopee*, and the *Indian Land*; carried with her a large blue and white ſtriped gown, and another of callico. Whoever brings her home, ſhall have a reward; but whoever harbours or entertains her, ſhall be proſecuted, by *Margaret Rose.*

THREE HUNDRED Acres of choice land at *Beach Hill*, for rice, indico and corn, well timber'd with pine and preſs, red and white oak, and hoop poles, with a convenient for reſerves of water, and not above 60 acres of the tract clear'd; a quantity of choice yellow pine timber and boards to build a good houſe on, and a lot of land at Bacon's bridge; to be ſold by

RICHARD BAKER.

WILLIAM EVANS deſires all perſons indebted to him by bond, note or otherwiſe, to diſcharge the ſame by the firſt of *April* next, after which day they may expect to find all their papers lodged in an attorney's hands.

TO BE SOLD by *WILLIAM BANBURY*, at his Store in *Union-ſtreet*, choice old *Barbados* RUM, *Canary* WINE in Bottles, and good *New York* HAMS, *&c. &c. &c.*

RUN AWAY in *December* 1752, *Ishmael* an *Angola* negro 25 years old, and hath an impediment in his ſpeech; and *Plymouth*, an *Ebo* negro about 26 years old: Both are cooper and ſuppoſed to be harboured in the ſettlements. Whoever delivers them to me, or gives ſuch information where they keep or are harboured that they may be taken, ſhall have a reward of FIFTY POUNDS for each. of *Joſiah Perry.*

TO BE SOLD, a Plantation in *St. James's Gooſe-Creek*, well known by the name of *How-Hall*; and alſo a tract of land joining it called *Beechaw*; on the former are a commodious brick dwelling-houſe, with convenient out buildings, and they are both ſituated about 12 miles and an half from the bridge, containing together 1397 acres of land, moſt of which is good for corn and indico, and ſome for rice. Alſo another plantation in the ſaid pariſh, on *Waſſamſaw* river, which contains 1750 acres, moſt of it good corn and rice land, and is inferior to few in the province for conveniency of back-water; on it are a dwelling houſe and other buildings, alſo ſufficient dams made for keeping large reſerves, and a large piece of cleared ground banked in. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe, may apply to either of the ſubſcribers.

Henry Middleton.
William Middleton. *Henry Middleton.*

Brought to the Work-houſe

January 10, 1754. A new negro man, about 5 feet 2 inches high, cannot tell his own or maſter's name, has a large bump on his left hand, with country marks on each ſide of his temples, ſhaved below his navel; has on white negro jacket and check; and was taken up at Mr. *Archer Smith's* plantation.

A new negro man, can't tell his maſter's name, on a white negro cloth jacket and breeches, with a bead in his right ear, and a cut under his lower lip.

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